

My name is Mark Bennewith, I am currently the president of UVISDA until the Annual General Meeting on Zoom this coming [May 2](#), 2021. We will be selecting a new president at this meeting.

I have been president for about five years now, (and on UVISDA since 2008) and have not been aware of us sending an annual report to BC Fed. executive. Our faithful team of (Guy) and Cathy Moreau most likely passed on this information when they attended in the BC Fed. Annual meetings in person. I believe they were our UVISDA Reps. for going on 10 years, passing on this information for us.

We thank Norm Hopland for his work as our Director at Large. He will be attending the meeting. None of our clubs have assigned proxies to Norm. He will gather information and forward it to us, UVISDA. We would then deem what we would do with this information, passing it on to the clubs.

We, UVISDA have stayed in contact with our clubs, by passing on information sent to us, and I as president have sent out two emails to clubs informing of what is happening currently. We as UVISDA executive have stayed in touch with our Caller Teacher Assoc. and had one in-person meeting under Covid guidelines.

As of the moment, we have one club that could possibly fold. (That was the case before covid).

I don't know of anyone in our region hosting dancing by Zoom. We are all anxiously waiting for the return of face to face dancing.

We on UVISDA Team appreciation all the work the BC Square and Round Dance Federation team is now doing behind the scenes to support the success of Square and Round Dancing here in BC.

Mark Bennewith
President of UVISDA